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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently amended) Filtering Symmetrical filtering device comprising:

a first <u>asymmetrical</u> bandpass filter having a given central frequency and a given bandwidth, wherein it comprises:

- a second <u>asymmetrical</u> bandpass filter identical to the first <u>asymmetrical</u> bandpass filter, and
- frequency transposition means, connected between the first <u>asymmetrical</u> filter and the second <u>asymmetrical</u> filter, which transpose the central frequency of the first filter to the same central frequency while inverting the <u>a</u> spectrum around the central frequency.
- 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Currently amended) Device according to claim 1, wherein the first and second bandpass filters are quartz filters.
- 4. (Cancelled)
- 5. (Currently amended) Method for selectively filtering a signal providing a symmetrical frequency response with asymmetrical filters, wherein: a first selective collectively filtering is carried out a signal in a given frequency band, the said band having a central frequency, by means of a first asymmetrical filter, to obtain a first filtered signal,

transposing the first filtered signal is transposed to place an image corresponding to the given frequency band in the same band but with an inverted spectrum with respect to the central frequency, and

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a second selective selectively filtering is carried out the transposed signal in the given frequency band, by means of a second asymmetrical filter, to obtain a second filtered signal, the second filter being identical to the first filter.

6. (Cancelled)